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FRIDAY EVE., DEC. 23, 1887.

Dr. St. John, who has been on trial in Chicago for conspiracy, in connection with the escape of McGarigle, was acquitted yesterday. The state failed to make out a case, and the court (Judge Collins) instructed the jury to bring in a verdict of acquittal.

HON. Seth C. Moffatt, congressman from the Eleventh Michigan district, died at Providence hospital in Washington, yesterday morning, from blood poisoning caused by a carbuncle upon his chin. Mr. Moffatt was a man of marked ability, and was exceedingly popular among his colleagues.

N. K. Fairbank, the great Chicago lard and oil man, has been caught on the jury, and has not tried to evade service, but takes his medicine like a little man, and the city papers devote as much space to him and his acts in court as though he was an inhabitant of another sphere. All of which goes to show that the spectacle of a millionaire jurymen is much rarer in Chicago than it ought to be.

FREE TRADE Democrats, says the Chicago Journal, talk about carrying Illinois and Indiana on the Cleveland platform, which would mean closing factories and throwing thousands of men out of employment in Aurora, Rockford, Sterling, Moline, Dixon, Decatur, Springfield, Belleville, Cairo and other places in Illinois, and in Indianapolis, Richmond, South Bend, Fort Wayne, Terre Haute, Evansville, Jeffersonville, New Albany and other places in Indiana. Manufacturers and mechanics in both states, irrespective of party, are against free trade, and will contribute to swell the Republican majority in 1888. There is not the slightest danger that they will vote to wipe out American industry. Illinois is surely Republican, in any event, and Indiana is taken out of the category of doubtful states. It will also go Republican.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat: Senator Farwell's bill to strike off the internal tax on tobacco and the duty on tobacco and sugar is a vigorous and sensible attack on the surplus problem. This would cut down the revenues nearly \$90,000,000, and sweep away all the surplus that could be spared. Indeed, it would strike off more than could be spared if the sinking fund payments are to be continued. As the free traders, however, would like to cut down the revenue so as to evade sinking fund payments, and as they disclaim any intention of striking off protection from any commodity which protection actually benefits, they ought to enthusiastically favor Mr. Farwell's measure.

JOLLY PRISONERS IN AUSTRALIA.

There is a jail in Queensland where the lady boarders have quite a good time of it. One of the fair creatures "is allowed at all hours into the jailer's house, where she plays the jailer's piano late at night and keeps the warders awake." In another prison, at Townsville, one hard labor gentleman has learned to play chess, and has worked through 500 games in three months, but he speaks very unfavorably of the officials, who actually refused to allow him to go to Adelaide to take part in the chess tournament, although he was willing to pledge his word that he would return some time, or perhaps a little later. Jail life in Queensland, according to the recent commission, appears to be neither a rosy existence—if you get into the proper sort of jail. The commission's stories almost remind one of the state of affairs at Dartmoor prison forty years ago, when troopers who had to escort good looking women from Sydney to Parramatta took three weeks in traveling fourteen miles.—Modern Society.

ONE OF LIEUT. GREENE'S DOGS.

Wolf, the "high" leader of the dog team that drew the sledges in the famous Greely arctic expedition, is now a resident of Oakland, Cal., having spent the summer there for his health. He may be seen at the home of a painter named McNeil, where he is kept at the expense of Gen. Sherman, his owner. After the close of the expedition, Lieut. Greene, into whose hands Wolf fell, presented him to Gen. Sherman.—Boston Transcript.

The brain of an elephant is somewhat larger than that of a man, but the trunk of an elephant is considerably smaller than that of a woman.

SOROROUS humans, erysipelas, canker and catarrh can be cured by taking Ayer's Sarsaparilla. "I have used this medicine in my family, for seroful, and know, if it is taken persistently, it will eradicate this terrible disease."—W. F. Fowler, M. D., Greenville, Tenn.

CHEAP QUARTER can and will save you money on anything you buy of him. d&wtf

CLOTHES THAT FIT.

Why don't you wear clothes that fit? Lay aside those shopshorn garments that hang on you like they had been pitched at you, go to Veale, "the French cutter from Cork," have your measure taken for a suit, and you will get a fit that will make you feel good until the clothes are worn out. Good fits are guaranteed and the stock of goods he carries is second to none in the city. Store in Ulrich block, 142 E. Prairie St. n26-d&wtf

GET the best oysters, packed fresh every morning, at DINGES & COOP. oct-27-d&wtf

Go to The Spencer & Luhman Co. for Wood Pumps, Chain Pumps and Iron Force Pumps.

SCORED BY PLUMB.

The Kansas Senator Criticizes the Administration's Policy.

The President's Suggestions Regard the Treasury Surplus Denounced—Senators Beck and Vose in Mr. Cleveland's Defense.

A SPURRED DEBATE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—In the Senate Wednesday Senator Sproul, from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, reported favorably a bill for the erection of a public building at Milwaukee, the cost of site and building not to exceed \$1,200,000 or \$1,100,000 in case the sum of the present public building in that city is utilized.

Senator Allison moved the adoption of the holiday-recess resolution. Senator Plumb protested against the proposed recess, which he said was against the public interest. He referred to Senator Pugh's resolution that Congress should not adjourn until action was taken for the disposal of the surplus in the Treasury, and said he did not agree with the President, as many of his statements in the speech were not in accordance with his own.

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Senator Plumb alluded to the fact that notwithstanding the statement in the speech of the President had spoken of in his message, the Democratic House of Representatives was not even organized in its committees, and that the only response which the House had made to the cry of alarm was the passage of a bill to pay a month's extra compensation to a lot of its own employees whom it had discharged in order to give them offices to another lot.

Senator Allison, chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, said the House had passed the resolution without even a division. The Senate could not promote the public interests by remaining in session while the House was in its present unorganized condition.

Senator Plumb said that the House could not adjourn without the concurrence of the Senate and would therefore go to vote if the resolution was rejected. The House, as far as the friend of the people and the people's apostle, I believe, is the force of good example. It also set the force of public opinion.

Senator Sherman thought the debate would be productive of good. It had brought to the attention of the Senate the folly of some features of the President's message, notably the folly of endeavoring to ease us are of alarm about the condition of the country, because (fortunately) there was a surplus of \$5,000,000 in the Treasury. It was not clear that in so such a state of alarm, it was a Democrat at House ought not to adjourn over the holidays. He (Sherman) believed that the language of the President was entirely too strong. It was right and proper for R. C. in S. to call attention to the folly of the House of Representatives adjourning without an organization. The surplus of \$5,000,000 was less than was in the Treasury at the time of the present Administration. It is thought it is reasonable and right that the majority by which it was sought to fight the country should be punctuated, exploded or exploded away.

After further discussion on the adjournment resolution was concurred in by 31 to 38, thus, thus, thus voting it down.

Berry, Fife, Palmer, Blair, George, Platt, Morgan, Long, Plumb, Obendorfer, Manderson, Radcliffe, Berger, Davis, Mitchell, Stewart, Dawes, Paddock, Teller—39, Dolph.

The Blunt Educational bill was taken up as an unfinished business, and, after an executive session, the Senate adjourned.

THE HOLIDAY RECESS.

Both Houses of Congress, After Short Session, Adjourn Till January 4.

HOUSE

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—When the House met yesterday the desk recently occupied by Mr. Moffat, of Michigan, who died in Providence Hospital yesterday morning, was draped in emblems of mourning and decked with flowers.

Mr. Herman, of Oregon, offered a resolution increasing the membership of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors to seventeen. Referred to Committee on Rules.

Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, announced the death of Representative Moffat, of Michigan, and the House adjourned till January 4.

SENATE

In the Senate, Senator Dolph introduced a bill to provide for the payment of claims for damages by Indian depredations. He said there were some 4,500 such claims, aggregating some \$14,000,000 or \$15,000,000. It was a burning shame that, for thirty years, Congress had declined to take action on these claims. The bill was referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

The Senate then took up the joint resolution, introduced by Senator Dolph, on the 12th inst., proposing a constitutional amendment on the subject of marriage and divorce, and prohibiting bigamy and polygamy. The proposed amendment is in the following words:

"Congress shall have power to legislate on the subject of marriage and divorce by general laws applicable to all the States and Territories, and neither bigamy nor polygamy shall exist, or be permitted, within the United States, or any place subject to their jurisdiction."

Senator Dolph addressed the Senate in support of the resolution. At the close of his remarks the joint resolution was ordered to lie on the table. Senator Culver said that he proposed to submit some remarks upon it after the reassembling of the Senate.

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I.

Thou shalt have no other place to buy Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods, except CHEAP CHARLEY'S.

II.

Thou shall not choose unto thyself any other Merchant, thou shall not bow down to them nor listen to their speeches, for Cheap Charley's Clothing House is a reliable place to trade, capable to serve his customers to the third and fourth generations.

III.

Thou need not seek in vain for stylish Clothing, Furnishing Goods, etc., at the Very Lowest Prices, for they can be found in large quantities at Cheap Charley's.

IV.

Thou shall bear in mind that if any day in the week you will buy a suit of clothes at Cheap Charley's you can rest easy on the seventh.

V.

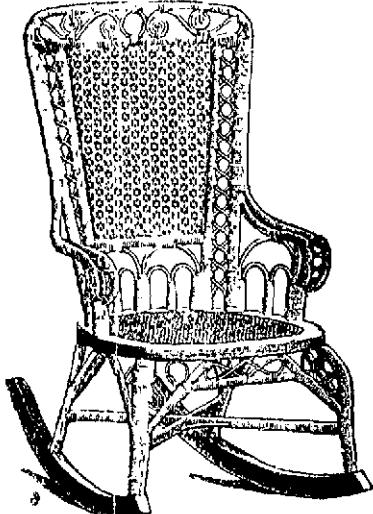
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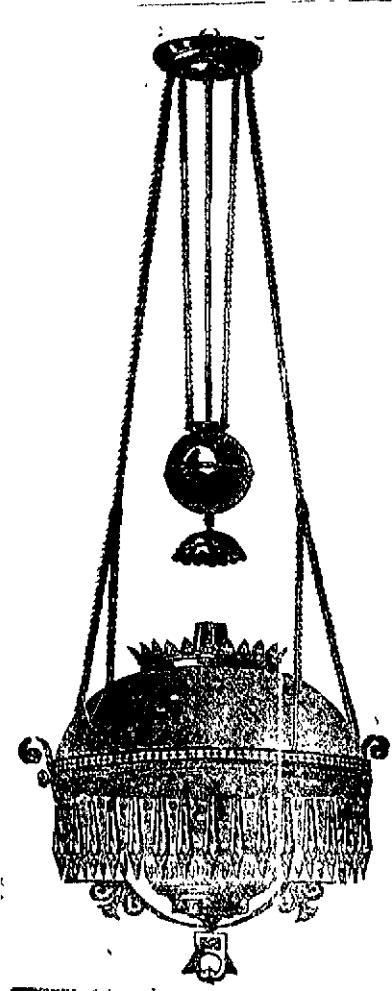
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DANIEL F. MANNING.

An Unconfirmed Rumor of His Death at Albany.

The Latest in Brief Account Is That the Ex-Secretary of the Treasury Is Unconscious and the End Is Eventually Near.

EX-SECRETARY DANIEL F. MANNING.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—An unconfirmed rumor of death was yesterday afternoon of Hon. Daniel F. Manning, ex-Secretary of the Treasury, at Albany, N. Y., it was reported.

ALBANY, N. Y., Dec. 23.—The latest information from the Manning house all is to the effect that ex-Secretary Manning is still alive, but that death is near at hand and may come at any moment. It is now but a question of a very short time.

Mr. Manning had been ill-health for some time before he resigned his Cabinet position, and in the early part of this month his physician warned him that he must soon prepare for the end, and on December 13 he came to Albany to his son's residence, where he remained.

His ailment was Bright's Disease, attributed by the physicians to the bad sanitary condition of the treasury department building. He came to Albany ready to die, and these days he has been spent quietly with his family, who have been about him constantly, with his physician and with Dr. T. Livingston Rose, pastor of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, of which he has been for many years a member.

Wednesday night, shortly before 10 o'clock, he became unconscious. The physician remained with him all the time, and the entire family was kept within call. During the greater part of the time, he lay with his eyes closed, and apparently oblivious to his surroundings. When aroused he appeared bewildered and required some time to collect himself. He took his food at the hands of his attendants at regular intervals. Aside from such occasion of straining, however, his condition was one of apathy and indifference.

EX-SECRETARY DANIEL F. MANNING.

Thou shalt not commit an outrage on propriety by purchasing thy Clothing, Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Trunks, etc., elsewhere, but go direct to Cheap Charley's, where thou wilst get what thou wantest at Low Prices.

VII.

Thou shalt not seek adulterously strange styles, but go direct to Cheap Charley's, Corner of Old Square.

VIII.

Thou shalt not steal an Overcoat, for Cheap Charley sells them so cheap it would be a sin.

IX.

Thou shalt not bear false witness, but openly acknowledge that thou canst be better suited at Cheap Charley's for less money than any other Clothing House in the city.

X.

Thou shalt not covet thy neighbor's goods, nor his bargains, but take counsel of this and proceed straightway to Cheap Charley's, Corner of Old Square.



EX-SECRETARY MANNING.

[Mr. Manning was born in Albany, N. Y., August 18, 1811. His parentage was of Irish, English and Dutch extraction. He was a poor boy, and his early opportunities for schooling were very limited. At 11 years of age he went to work as an office-boy at the establishment of the Albany *Atlas*, which was afterwards merged into the Albany *Argus*, with which paper he was, in one capacity or another, connected until his appointment by President Cleveland as Secretary of the Treasury. In 1873 he assumed sole charge of the *Argus* and was elected president of the company. He was a member of the New York Democratic State convention of 1874 that nominated Samuel J. Tilden for Governor, and was a delegate to the St. Louis convention of 1876 that nominated Mr. Tilden for President. He was a member of the New York State Democratic Committee since 1876, was its secretary in 1879 and 1880, and was elected chairman in 1881. He was warmly interested in the nomination of Mr. Cleveland for President at Chicago.

Mr. Manning's resignation as Secretary of the Treasury was sent to the President in the summer of 1886, it being accepted February 14, 1887, when it was found he could never thoroughly recover. He failed to derive any great benefit from a trip to Europe last spring.

Mr. Manning was active and successful outside of journalism and politics. He was long a director of the Albany & Susquehanna Railway Company and president of the National Commercial Bank of Albany, of which he was first director and then vice-president. He was also park commissioner of Albany and a director of the Albany Electric Light Company.

He has two sons and a daughter. His first wife died four years ago. He contracted a second matrimonial alliance in November, 1884, immediately after the election of Mr. Cleveland to the Presidency, leading to the altar Miss Fryer, daughter of an Albany dry-goods prince. He is worth several hundred thousand dollars.]

A GLOOMY VIEW.

MR. BARRY, of the Knights of Labor Executive Board Tells of What He Saw During a Recent Trip South.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Thomas B. Barry, of the Executive Board of Knights of Labor, who has been on a tour through the South, says he was unfavorably impressed with what he saw of the social and political condition of labor at the South. School facilities, he says, are sadly lacking, and intimidation is rampant, especially as to the free use of the electoral franchise. The tenant farmers, he thinks, are in but little better condition than the oppressed tenantry of Ireland. At all important places visited the feeling against Knights of Labor was very high. In some places a kind of Ku Klux Klan was organized to fight the order. Wages are absurdly low, ranging from fifteen cents for children to one dollar for adults. Cotton mills run for twelve and one-half hours per day, with twenty minutes for dinner, and an almost inconceivable amount of brutality, he says, is exercised toward the hands. Mr. Barry favors the Blair bill, and suggests as a means of improvement of these conditions, time, education and organization of the masses.

Watching Imported Miners.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—Secretary Fairchild took official leave Wednesday of the report that 2,000 Belgian miners are to be imported to take the place of the strikers in the Lehigh region. He sent telegrams to the collectors at New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore instructing them to be vigilant in preventing any violation of the Alien Contract Labor law.

Hurt at a Fire.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 23.—A fire broke out shortly after midnight in Fleishman & Co.'s dry-goods house, and burned that building and Yeager & Co.'s toy store adjoining. Several firemen were injured, and it is said that a man is buried in the ruins. Loss, \$20,000.

SH. MINERS Burned by an Explosion.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Dec. 23.—A terrible explosion of gas occurred at Plymouth Wednesday evening by which John Rowland, James Davis, Richard Davis and James Kelley were fatally and Davis Hughes and Davis Davis badly injured.

Fate of a Meddler.

Women who meddle with everybody else's business are to be shunned and feared. One of them was on the Troy local the other afternoon. A spruce young man held in his hand a yellow p. covered book, in which he seemed to be deeply interested. The woman sat in front of him, and, happening to turn to take in the passengers, observed the cheap literature which was engrossing the attention of the man behind her. In a pleading, insinuating voice she said to him: "Young man, don't you know that you are wasting your time very foolishly in reading dime novels? You might better take a book on history with you or something else that would benefit your mind and give you an opportunity to improve." Reaching her hand over the back of the seat, she said very deliberately: "Let me look at that book." The young man, without relaxing a single feature, handed the book over to his aggressive fellow passenger. She turned it over to read the title. It was as follows: "Easy Lessons in French for Beginners." The old lady never said a word. She dropped the book in the young man's lap and shot into the next car.—Albany Journal.

A Fortune Hunter's Bad Break.

Sweet Girl—Isn't Mr. Fortunehunter splendid? He's been such a traveler.

Rich Widow—Splendid, indeed! He's the most unmannly fellow I ever met.

"Unmannly?"

"He's positively insulting I never want to speak to him again."

"Oh, I'm sure there's some mistake. What did he say?"

"He as I'd me if I'd ever heard Jenny Lind,"—"maha World."

Dress Goods.

In French, German and American Novelties, very handsome and cheap, just received.

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E. L. MARTIN can supply you with all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal by the ton or carload as cheap as any place in the city.

n30-dft

Friends Creek Nursery.

S. Boneham, proprietor, will have Christmas trees and stock the coming spring at the old stand, east side New Square, adjoining stone yard. Leave orders with John Pasold. dec14-d&w

THE TERRE HAUTE & PEORIA HOLDINGS from Decatur, Ill., are as follows: To Kansas City and Omaha, Neb., at one fare for the round trip, good going Dec. 24th to 26th inclusive, 31st and Jan. 1st and 2d, good to return up to Jan. 3d. Train leaves Decatur at 12:20 p.m., arrives at Omaha at 6 a.m. next morning. For tickets call on T. Ponivell, City Ticket Agt., at A. M. Ex. office. 21-48

RESERVED SEATS are now on sale for the grand opening matinee Monday, Christmas afternoon, of Music Hall, by the celebrated Fuller Sisters' Comedy Co.

Get Booth oysters fresh every day at Dinges & Coop's. 17-46

FOR THE CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR HOLIDAYS the I. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to all stations north of Cairo, at one fare for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale Dec. 24th, 25th, 26th and 31st, and on Jan. 1st and 2d. Good to return up to January 3d.

DAY BOARD \$3.00 per week at Combs' Court House Restaurant—the best place in the city to board. Meals at all hours. No. 130 South Water St. n25-dft

INMAN & LAWRENCE, at their restaurant, south side Lincoln Square, serve lunch, oysters and regular meals at low prices. No better place in town. Restaurant open all night. dec18-d&w

FUR CAPS, Scotch Caps and every kind of caps at the Star Clothing House, 147 N. Water street. dec1-dlm

T. N. LEAVITT, of Maroa, has been appointed agent for the Pierce Well Augur for Macon and adjoining counties. The Pierce Augur was the one used at Decatur and Maroa. n17-d&w

FINE Jersey Coats at A. F. Ross', 147 N. Water St. dec1-dlm

FOR a Christmas present anyone will appreciate, get a box of crystallized or candied fruits at Dinges & Coop's. 17-48

SPECIAL SALE OF SILK UMBRELLAS, at J. R. Raco & Co.'s. dec19-1w

FOR RENT, FOR SALE, WANTED, &c.

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NOTICE—I hereby warn all parties not to give my wife credit on my account, as I will not be responsible for any bills she may contract. She left my bed and board about eighteen months ago. J. O. KRESTER. nov22-dw

WANELL & HOWLAND, Nurseries, nov23-dt St. Louis, Mo.

FOR RENT—A good five-room brick house, with two grates, and cistern, well and cellar. Located on West Main street. Apply to COPE BROS., 640 West Main street. Dec19-dft

FOR RENT, Cheap, a house of four rooms, Enclosed on the premises, 705 North Union St.

WANTED—The public to know that am still representing the Camargo Nurseries—also making a specialty of fruit trees, with grapes, also a full line of fruit and ornamental trees, at reasonable prices, all warranted to grow. dec15-dft 840 N. Union St., Decatur.

MATTRESSES—Mattresses and feathers repacked by the latest improved machinery at the Mattress Factory, 553 N. Broadway. Also mattresses exchanged for feathers. Give us a call or telephone 153. nov19-dt COX & CHAMBERLAIN.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One-half interest in Grocery Store. Clean goods. Good trade. Apply to "F." this office. n10

FOR RENT—The basement, store-room and second floor of my building, west side Lincoln Square, containing water, gas, closets and all modern conveniences. Apply to me at 160 West North street. O. A. CARTER. oct29-dft

OFFICE FOR RENT—Over B. Stine's clothing store. Rent reasonable. Call at oct29-dft B. STINE'S.

WANTED—Everybody to know that Bachman Bros. 21s, East Main street, have on hand a lot of second-hand clothes, GOOD AS NEW, which will be sold at HALF PRICE, July 1-15.

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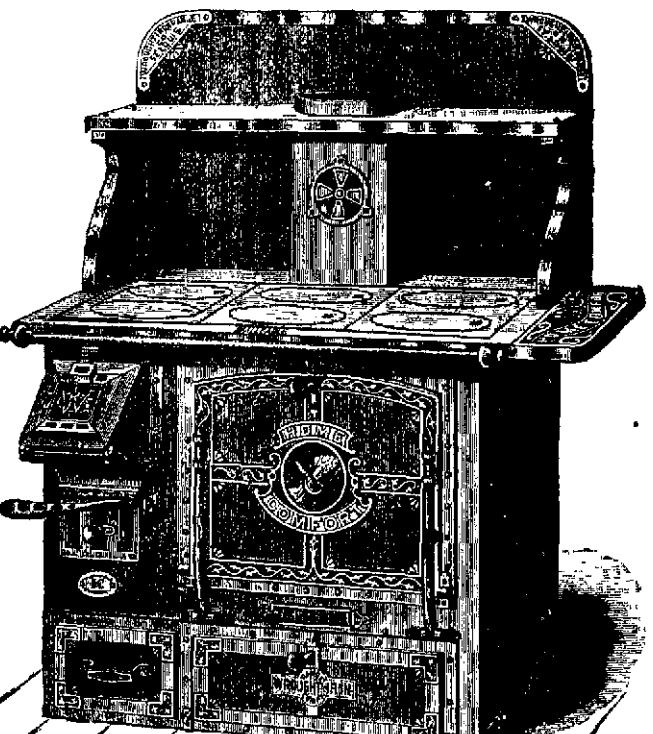
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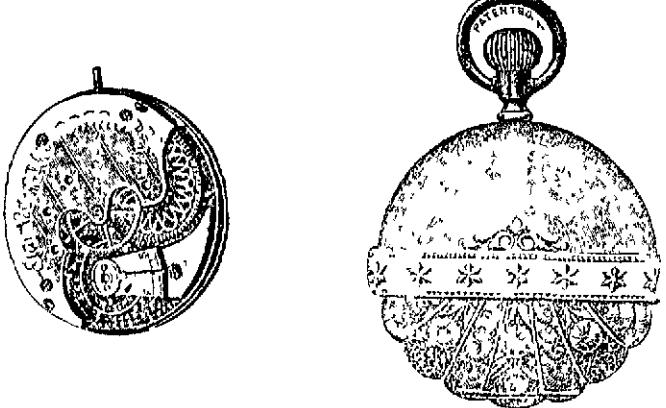
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JARAH KOOK IT Illustrated with One Hundred and Forty Photocliques. Without doubt the no 1 Elaborate Art Book ever published in America. Bound in Parchment Paper and Vellum Cloth, with Stamped Ribbons.

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ALL THESE THINGS CAN BE HAD OF

J. E. SAXTON,

Next Door to the Post Office, Decatur.

Nov 25-1887

PERPETUAL YOUTH.

This is said to be a fountain in Flower Land—Do Leon found it—where Old Age away Throws weary mind and heart, and fresh as day Springs from the dark, and Joins Aurora's hand; This tale, transformed by some skilled trouvère's wand.

From the old myth in a Greek poet's lay, Rests on no truth. Change bodies as Time may, Souls do not change, though heavy be his hand. Who of us needs this fountain? What soul is old? Our more musk age, and still we grow more young.

For in our winter we talk most of spring; And as we near, slow tottering, God's safe fold, Youth's loved ones grow nearer—though among The sleeping dead, youth's songs more clear they sing.

Maurice Francis Egan in the Century

STORIES OF DEPRAVED APPETITE.

Beasts That Eat Odd Things—Stomach of the Elephant, Cow and Ostrich.

"It is truly astonishing what curious things are found in the stomachs of elephants," said Superintendent Conklin, of the Central Park manager, as he read the story from Bridgeport about the finding of an ivory idol and other curiosities in the stomachs of the elephants that were killed in the fire at Barnum's winter quarters. "I doubt very much about the idol being found, but as to the knives, piece of lead pipe and the coins, that is quite common."

"I had an elephant here, and when he died there was at least \$10 worth of coins found in his stomach. Some of the coins were English pennies, threepenny pieces, some were German coins and others were the coins of various European countries, and Chinese coins were also found."

"Another elephant we had here was crazy for hats. The boys had great fun throwing each other's hats into the inclosure. The elephant would just put out his trunk and in a twinkling the hat was gone. One day a gentleman's silk hat blew off. The elephant picked it up and disposed of it as quickly as he did of the straw hats of the children."

"It seems that the elephant's stomach will take anything. Anything but metal seems to pass away, without causing the animal any pain, but it appears that the gas of iron tends to oxidize coals and the like, and they remain in the beast's stomach until death."

"Cows are the only other animals that have a fancy for disposing of foreign substances. All other animals reject any foreign substance that may pass down the throat."

"I should judge the elephant's tasting powers are limited, because he gobbles up everything that is offered him."

"The ostrich is just about as careless of what he swallows as the elephant. He takes in anything he can catch, and more curious things have been found in the stomach of the biped than that of the quadruped."

Charles Reiche, the dealer in animals, not only corroborated Mr. Conklin's experiences, but related some of his own experiences in that line. "Once we had an elephant," he said, "that took part in the first Plattdeutsch Volksfest ever held in this city. Out at the park we had the animal on exhibition. A lady held out her pocketbook, and the elephant took it in his trunk, and before the woman could realize what a foolish thing she had done the purse was safely stowed away under the ribs of the big brute. I had to give her twenty-five cents to go home with."

"If a man held out a loaded pistol that elephant would have swallowed it. Another time one of his keepers left his lunch for a second and laid his open jack knife on the top. Lunch, cloth, jack knife and everything else, at once disappeared down the elephant's throat, and he never seemed to suffer from it. Elephants must have a most pliable stomach, for they take in everything from a lady's hamper to a wooden image."

"When you believe the sacred elephant swallowed the pistol as reported."

"I certainly do. The sacred elephant would just as soon pick up a stray god as he would a banana or orange." —New York Press

An End to Bone Scraping.

Edward Shepherd, of Harrisburg, Ill., says: "Having received so much benefit from Electric Bitters, I feel it my duty to let something humanity know it. Have had a running sore on my leg for eight years, my doctors told me I would have to have the bone scraped or leg amputated. I used, instead, three bottles of Electric Bitters, and seven boxes Buckle's Arm'd Salve, and my leg is now sound and well." Electric Bitters are sold at 50 cents a bottle, and Buckle's Arm'd Salve at 25 cents per box by John A. Swearingen.

Coal! Coal!

Varieties of Hard and Soft Coal at E. L. Martin's North Main Street Yard, Telephone No 433. Order by telephone at Seurenman's drug store, opposite post office.

New Haven News Centered in self—a perfumery bottle.

The Judge Shake Inn's wid a boggahn an' he'll think yo'er one.

Buckley's Africa Salve.

The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rashes, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by John A. Swearingen.

ANYONE in search of a first-class cooking apparatus can find what they want in the "Home Comfort" Range sold by Morehouse, Wells & Co. One of the best housekeepers in the city says "We did not know what home comfort was until we got a 'Home Comfort' range in the house."

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The Books are now open for Subscriptions to the

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Monthly payments 50 Cents per Share. Six per cent. interest paid on withdrawals. Now is the time to secure yourself a home through the Association, and quit paying rent. Security for savings superior to a savings bank.

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Just received the THIRD PURCHASE of Elegant Tailor-made 4-Button Cutaway and D. B. Prince Albert, Corkscrew and Fancy Worsted Suits—Equal to any made to order, and at ONE-HALF THE COST.

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10 PER CENT DISCOUNT

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Men's, Boys and Children's
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Too Many Goods; Must be Disposed Of.

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From our now VERY LOW PRICES, marked in plain selling figures. Look at our Fine Goods and see the Low Prices this Discount Sale will make them.

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Candy Boxes, Candy Baskets, Oranges and Nuts of All Kinds.

CANDIES AT ALL PRICES.

The Largest Assortment in the city to select from.

Oysters Direct from Baltimore in Can or Bulk.

WOOD BROS.,
142 Merchant Street.
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LOCAL NEWS.

For dinner and tea sets, go to E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

It's sure to be a cold Christmas.

BON BURDETTE will be here January 6th.

No market reports on Saturday and Monday.

Good ice skating on the pond at Oakland Park. Free to everybody.

The last county board allowed claims aggregating over \$12,000.

The funeral of Thomas Malloy, who died at Cerro Gordo, took place from the Catholic church this forenoon.

There will be quarterly meeting services at the U. B. church Sunday, December the 25th, conducted by Rev. L. Field, presiding elder.

On Sunday the opera house orchestra will be at the Baptist church both morning and evening services to assist the double quartette choir.

The Entre Nous Club have arranged to give a swell reception and party at the St. Nicholas hotel on Thursday evening, Dec. 29th.

Buy family groceries every day at Knob & Osborne's store on North Water street.

The genuine Siberian blood-hounds will appear on the stage at the opera house to-night.

Fresh oysters and turkeys, cranberries and trimmings, can be had at Hanks & Patterson's grocery store.

GRAND HOG lunch at W. H. Carroll's saloon, No. 547 Front street, Saturday, December 24. All are invited to attend.

MONDAY evening, Dec. 26, see the great play, "Unknown," at the opera house. Special scenery and a strong company.

OFFICER MIDKIFF was off duty last night because of the dangerous illness of his little daughter. It was thought she would die yesterday evening. She is better to-day.

A STYLISH gift would be one of those stylish cutters at D. F. Hamsher's place. He is selling them fast at low figures.

During the holidays Dustman & Meyer have a big sale of furniture. Buyers find just what they want for friends.

Go to Harry Snarr's for the largest line of candies, fruits and nuts in the city. 22-33

NOTHING nicer for a Christmas present than one of those celebrated Washburn and Conservatory Guitars, Banjos, Violins, Mandolins, Zithers and Autoharpas at Prescott's.

A LARGE line of confectioners' sugar, nuts, figs and dates for making candies, at Harry Snarr's. 22-33

THE 75-pound gray wolf, killed by Johnny May in Arkansas, has been stuffed, and is on exhibition in the window at B. Stine's clothing store. He is a furious looking customer. If alive he could make it decidedly lively for all callers at the store.

"I wonder how it is that Lawrence Barrett always keeps his voice so clear and resonant?" "Why I suppose, like every other sensible man, he keeps a supply of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup."

Rheumatism had held me of for two or three years. I tried Salvation Oil; it quickly gave me relief, and I have not had it since. WM. CHANCE.

Clifton, Baltimore Co., Md.

Don't fail to see Mr. Frank Cotten as Christopher Blizzard in that funny comedy entitled "Confusion," or Hug the Baby.

CALL on the Moore Bros. in opera block for reliable groceries, fresh butter and oysters.

MEMBERS of the "Humming Bird" company were about town last evening buying presents. They invested in high priced articles.

The Palace King furnaces will keep the house warm in the coldest weather. Order one at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

ALL of the Decatur Banks will be closed on Monday after Christmas and Monday after New Year's Day. Make a note of this. 20-210

Grr your Christmas turkey at Dinges & Coops. 17-36

SWEETHEARTS and wives will want to hear the charming Fuller Sisters sing their beautiful musical ballad, "My Sailor Boy is Home Again."

READ Cheap Charley's advt. d&wtf

COTTECO Flannel Shirts, in all the latest shades, plaited bosom, perfect in fit, at B. Stine's.

Call for a State Meeting.

Supervisors Woodcock, Durfee, Hopper, Hanes and Manecke, of the special committee, held a meeting in the County Treasurer's office to-day, and voted to issue a call for a mass meeting of all the supervisors in Illinois to be held in Decatur on Wednesday, February 8th, at which matters of interest to all supervisors and the people generally will be discussed, with a view of correcting such customs now observed that may be deemed to be improper. Chairman Woodcock and Secretary Manecke were authorized to issue a printed call to be sent out to all the county boards in the state, notifying them of the time and place of the meeting. This mass meeting was first suggested by the members of the St. Clair county board, where a resolution was recently adopted selecting Decatur as the place of meeting, and asking the Macon County board to arrange for the time. Possibly several hundred supervisors will be here on Feb. 8 to remain several days.

Sales of Real Estate.

Osee McCormick to Susan R. Siewers, tract of land in 28, 16, 2 \$300.

Jennie L. Ring to James Green, 40 acres in 7, 17, 1, \$2,000.

Cassidy Chenoweth to A. B. Montgomery, lot 5, block 4, Bandy's addition, \$3,300.

Anna Iff to Adam Ellrick, Jr., quit claim to tract of land in 16, 15, 1, \$1,000.

This morning the Walker Bros., of Walker Station, arrived from Indianapolis, where on Thursday they sold 40 head of cattle that averaged 1400 pounds at \$4.40; and 79 head of hogs, weight 260 pounds, at \$5.65. They also sold a lot of cattle in Chicago last week.

Going Away.

Next week the following named residents of this vicinity will leave for Bentonville, Arkansas, all of whom will locate there except Mr. Rucker, who goes on a prospecting trip: W. M. Davis, A. Hornan, Frank Moore, E. F. Deidridge, and N. W. Rucker, of Long Creek township, and W. S. Herman, of Bethany, Ill. The REPUBLICAN is sorry to learn that these gentleman are to leave old Macon county, but wishes them well and will welcome them back to the fold should they decide after a fair trial that "Macon county is good enough for them."

Reorganization of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Springfield Road under the name of the Indianapolis, Decatur & Western Road was perfected at Indianapolis yesterday and the new company elected the following directors for the ensuing year: John D. Probst, New Jersey; Hiram Hitchcock, Henry B. Hammond, Horace L. Hitchcock, Stephen H. Thayer, Charles C. Allen, Thomas B. Atkins, John K. Warren, New York; E. F. Leonard, Illinois; John R. Elder, R. B. F. Pierce, Indiana. The election of officers will be deferred until next week, and will be held in New York. No change of importance from the present roster is expected.

In the Uncle Tom performance to-night the rescue of Eva from the river will be shown with realistic effect. Little Eva will give recitations alone worth the price of admission. She is a phenomenal child only 6 years old.

AT THE PARK MARKET.

Young Bros.' Big Display of Christmas Beef and Game.

There is no more popular meat market in Decatur, among its regular customers, than that of Young Bros., northeast corner of the Park, and the many friends of the place were delighted this morning to see it decked out in holiday attire, and with such a display as could not but gratify the eye as well as tickle the palate. The meats exposed include the very best of Short Horn beef, fat enough to make it juicy and tender, but not fat enough to make it greasy, veal that looks tender enough to melt in the mouth, lambs that remind one of the season of green peas, while to add to the variety there are dressed venison, and deer carcasses still in all the glory of horns and hide, wild turkeys, dressed geese, and, as if laughing at the jolly company they are in, there are whole pigs, dressed in all sorts of fancy toggery, calves and ox heads shaved cleaner than the average barber ever shaves his human victim, while all around are cured meats, Wiener wurst, liver puddings, monster bologna sausage, cans of lard, smoked hams, tongues, and the myriad of other toothsome edibles which accomplished butchers like Young Bros. know so well how to fix up. The decorations are in keeping with the season, and include evergreens, green holly vines and flowers, and the whole is not only designed with great taste but executed with much skill.

Although the meats were only displayed this morning the orders from customers were rushing long before 10 o'clock, and boxes were being packed and sent off by express to Columbus, O., to different points in Pennsylvania, and elsewhere. The fame of this elegant establishment is spreading, and well it may, for no house in the city pays more attention to its customers' wants, or fills its orders with greater intelligence and skill.

Drop in and see the display, and see if we have not "drawn it mild."

These are busy times for C. B. Prescott, who is having a big trade in Haines Bros.' and other standard pianos, organs, and musical merchandise generally. His stock is large and varied, selected especially for the holiday season. See his display.

Stapp's Chapel Revival Services.

The Rev. W. S. Potter preached last night upon The Judgment, reading from Matthew 25th chapter, verses 31-46, inclusive. When Jesus spoke these words He was sitting upon the Mt. of Olives overlooking Jerusalem. We look upon Him as a man of sorrows and grief, for a following a few unlearned fishermen; but His second appearing, how different. For His seat, the throne of judgment; for His followers, the angels and all the heavenly host. Before Him heaven with all its beauties and the waiting prison house of the doomed. All secret things publicly portrayed and final sentence pronounced. Who will be there? Adam and Eve and a long line of descendants; the antediluvian world, Stephen the martyr, and Caphias, you and I reared in this gospel land, the Sabbath school teacher and her class, father and mother and the rebellious child, devils and angels and all intelligencies of heaven, earth and hell. He who erewhile was seeking to save the lost and perishing ones, now the Judge and separating the flock with infinite authority, declaring the eternal destiny of every soul. There remaineth no more sacrifice for sin. The books are now being written that will witness for or against you in the last day. How awful this day to the finally impenitent and the rejecter of God's Word. I would that I could close here, but I am told to shun not to declare the whole council of God. Those blessed lips that had so often spoken, "Come unto Me all ye weary," now will say, "Depart, ye cursed, into everlasting fire." A special service for railroad and business men will be held Sunday night next.

Death at the Poor Farm.

Conrad Vohberg, aged 75 years, an insane patient at the county poor farm Blue Mound township, died of paralysis last night. The body was buried to-day.

Thirdiest and most laughable musical comedy Decatur has had in many months was the "Humming Bird" given at the opera house by the lively Salsbury Troubadours last night. The piece well merited a packed house, and would have had, but for the counter social attractions. Miss McHenry, the old favorite, was the life of the party, introducing dashing songs and personations that won tumultuous applause, bringing her back so often that she grew weary. Miss Carlette gave several vocal selections in a charming manner. Frank Blair brought down the house as the aged queen of the ballet. The Salzburgers are hummers from away back and would fill the hall should they return.

PERSONAL MENTION.

M. P. Murphy will return from Chicago to-morrow.

Officer Helmick has typhoid fever. He is in a serious condition.

Charles Lorge, who is fitting himself for the practice of law at Chicago, is home for the holidays.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Meek, West Marietta street, Dec. 22, a daughter.

Charles Kallam, of the Macon county Abstract office, has gone to Mt. Vernon, Ohio, to remain over Christmas.

Henry Ward, of Mt. Zion, and Mrs. Lizzie G. Goss, of Orwell, Vermont, have been granted a marriage license.

Miss Benah Whitst, who is a teacher in one of the Chicago schools, will arrive home to-morrow for the holiday vacation.

Winthrop E. Gastman, a student at Michigan University, reached home this morning to spend the holiday vacation.

The shipping tags bore addressed in Philadelphia, Baltimore, Cincinnati, Chicago, Boston, Wetham, Mass., New Orleans, Nashville, St. Louis, Springfield, Mo., besides numerous places of less note in Illinois, Ohio, Kansas, Missouri, Nebraska, Kentucky and other states. Invincia people do say that this new sort of Christmas present has materially affected the demand for turkeys, but this is probably an exaggeration.

Go and see this fine display of meats before it is scattered to all parts of the Union.

AN ORDER FROM CHICAGO.

The following, which is one of the sample orders received by Imboden Bros., is for about 200 pounds of meat. It comes from a Chicago lumber merchant and importer and breeder of pure bred Hereford cattle.

A. S. Robinson, of the Chicago, Santa Fe & California road, arrived from New Boston, Iowa, to-day to eat Christmas dinner with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry D. Spencer, of Bloomington, will arrive in the city to-morrow and spend Christmas with Hon. Jason Rogers and family.

Frank Tomlinson, of Macon, was in the city last evening. He treated himself to a Christmas gift by subscribing for the REPUBLICAN.

Robert Oglesby, of the Governor's office, attended the dancing party at the club room last night, departing for Springfield this morning.

A. S. Crowder and Isaac M. Cornish, of Spokane Falls, W. T., arrived in the city last night, and will spend Christmas with their friends. The young men are whole pigs, dressed in all sorts of fancy toggery, calves and ox heads shaved cleaner than the average barber ever shaves his human victim, while all around are cured meats, Wiener wurst, liver puddings, monster bologna sausage, cans of lard, smoked hams, tongues, and the myriad of other toothsome edibles which accomplished butchers like Young Bros. know so well how to fix up. The decorations are in keeping with the season, and include evergreens, green holly vines and flowers, and the whole is not only designed with great taste but executed with much skill.

A postal card received from Mrs. Philbrook, dated at Montgomery, Ala., on the 21st, says that she and her husband had reached that city in safety, that Mr. Philbrook had stood the journey well and seemed to be stronger than when he left here.

J. W. Gibson and J. H. Conradi, of the High School; Miss Isabel Fulton, principal of the Church street school; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bowles, of the Jasper street school, Edwin Philbrook and E. A. Gastman are the Decatur teachers who hold state certificates.

Pretty Gifts.

W. C. Armstrong at his drug store has been having a rapid sale of his elegant Christmas goods for several weeks, and deservedly so, for the articles are unique and beautiful, embracing plush dressing cases, manicure sets, perfume sets and perfume in bottles, shaving sets, all suitable for ladies and gentlemen. If you want to decide quick and save time and money, call at Armstrong's store for Christmas presents.

Yours truly, G. W. HENRY.

Open Evenings for the Holidays.

From the 15th until after the holidays we will keep open until 9 o'clock.

We will give special bargains on all goods sold for holiday trade, and have just received a new invoice of the choicest winter millinery goods from New York.

All trimmed goods to be sold at greatly reduced prices. Mrs. K. Einstein, 150 North Water Street.

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60, 90. Hen, 1st, 91;

35, 40, 92. Breeding

1st, 1st, 93; 2d, 90%; 3d,

90%. Breeding pen,

1st, 2d, 90%. Breeding

Edwardsville: Pullet,

COCKERELS.

cocked, 2d, 90. Pul-

let, 1st, 91. Pullet,

breeding pen, 1st,

2d, 90%. Pullet, 4th, 90.

CHICKS.

action: Cock, 2d, 88;

3d, 90. Hen, 1st, 91;

35, 40, 92. Breeding

pen, 1st,

2d, 90%. Breeding

pen, 1st, 91. Pullet,

4th, 90%. Pullet, 4th, 90.

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We can show you every style of *Colored* and *Decorated* Glassware that is *desirable* in the market. Case goods a *specialty*.

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Royal Worcester.
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Our line of Lamps was never so great. We will give you Lamps from \$2.00 to \$100 each. No more *useful* present than this can be given.

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We can truthfully say that our stock in this line is the **LARGEST** ever shown in our city. You can get anything you want in this from us.

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One of the most useful lamps ever invented. Stands on the floor and can be a conductor any height. Desirable present for Lady or Gentleman.

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We are able to furnish you any thing in this line that you want. Knives, Forks, Spoons, Castors, Butter Dishes, Cake Baskets, Fish Dishes, &c.

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TABLE LAMPS.

These wheels and wheels and lamps will find a great variety store, from a 2-glass lamp to \$100.00 One and one-half Electric Lamps to \$100.00.

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All the *go* for Boys. We have an endless variety of them in any price you want to pay.

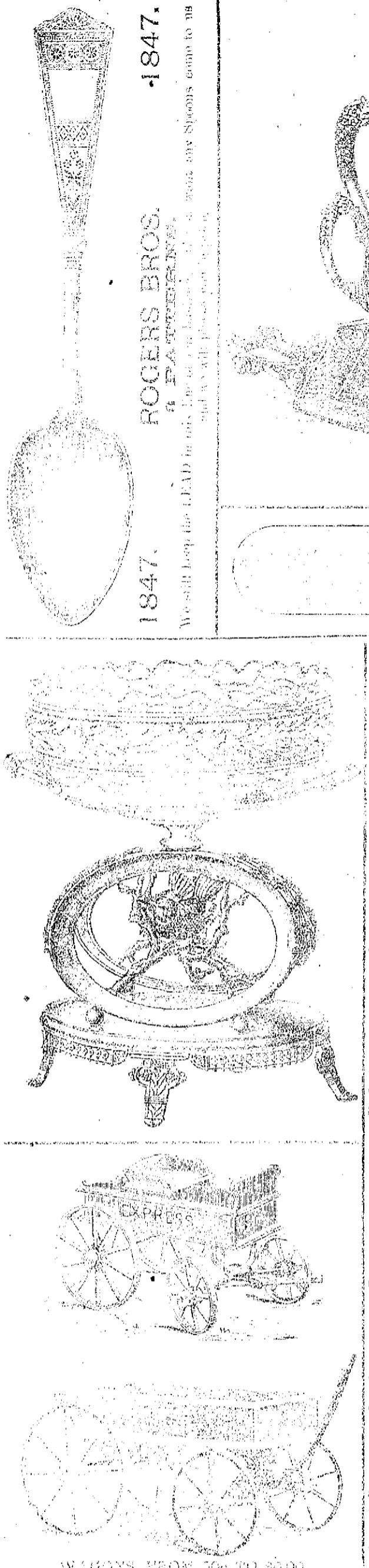
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